Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in this application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A method for handling location information <u>regarding a mobile user having a plurality of associated location sources</u>, said method comprising

    <u>simultaneously</u> acquiring <u>items of</u> location data regarding [a] <u>said</u> user from [a] <u>said</u> plurality of location sources;

    creating a collection of said location data regarding said user;

    <u>determining an expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources;</u>

    ranking items <u>of location data</u> in said collection <u>to define the location of said user</u> according to ~~expected utility~~ <u>the expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources</u>; and

    updating said location data continuously <u>with said defined location of said user</u>.

2. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 further comprising: filtering said location data to remove[r] misleading data.

3. (cancelled).

4. (currently amended) The method of claim 1 wherein: said acquiring further comprises acquiring location data regarding more than one user, ~~organizing by user,~~ and said ranking further comprises ranking items in said collections regarding more than one user, according to <u>the</u> expected ~~utility~~ <u>most accurate location source of each of said plurality of associated location sources for each of said users</u>.

5-6. (cancelled).

7. (currently amended) A method for handling location information <u>regarding a mobile user having a plurality of associated location sources</u>, said method comprising:

<u>simultaneously acquiring items of location data regarding said user from said plurality of location sources;</u>

ranking items <u>of location data</u> in a collection of <u>said</u> location data regarding [a] <u>said</u> <u>mobile</u> user according to <u>an expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources;</u> ~~expected utility~~ and

updating said location data continuously.

8. (original) The method of claim 7 further comprising: filtering said location data to remove misleading data.

9-12. (cancelled).

13. (currently amended) An information handling system for handling location information regarding a mobile user having a plurality of associated location sources, said information handling system comprising:

[Means] means for simultaneously acquiring items of location data regarding a said user from a said plurality of location sources;

[Means] means for creating a collection of said location data regarding said user;

means for determining an expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources;

[Means] means for ranking items of location data in said collection to define the location of said user according to expected utility the expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources; and

[Means] means for updating said location data continuously with said defined location of said user.

14. (original) The information handling system of claim 13, further comprising: means for filtering said location data to remove misleading data.

15. (cancelled).

16. (currently amended) The information handling system of claim 13 wherein: said means for acquiring further comprises means for acquiring location data regarding more than one user; said means for creating further comprises means for creating collections of said location data regarding more than one user; ~~organizing by user,~~ and said means for ranking further comprises means for ranking items in said collections regarding more than one user, according to the expected ~~utility~~ most accurate location source of each of said plurality of associated location sources for each of said users.

17-18. (cancelled).

19. (currently amended) An information handling system for handling location information regarding a mobile user having a plurality of associated location sources, said information handling system comprising:

    means for simultaneously acquiring items of location data regarding said user from said plurality of location sources;

    means for ranking items of location data in a collection of said location data regarding [a] said mobile user according to an expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources; ~~expected utility~~ and

    means for updating said location data continuously.

20. (original) The information handling system of claim 19 further comprising: means for filtering said location data to remove misleading data.

21-24. (cancelled).

25. (currently amended) A computer usable medium having computer usable instructions <u>for handling location information regarding a mobile user having a plurality of associated location sources</u> comprising:

[Means] <u>means</u> for <u>simultaneously</u> acquiring <u>items of</u> location data regarding ~~a~~ <u>said</u> user from ~~a~~ <u>said</u> plurality of location sources;

[Means] <u>means</u> for creating a collection of said location data regarding said user;

<u>means for determining an expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources;</u>

[Means] <u>means</u> for ranking items <u>of location data</u> in said collection <u>to define the location of said user</u> according to ~~expected utility~~ <u>the expected most accurate location source of said plurality of associated location sources;</u> and

<u>means for updating said location data continuously with said defined location of said user.</u>

26. (original) The computer-usable medium of claim 25, further comprising: means for filtering said location data to remove misleading data.

27. (cancelled).

28. (currently amended) The computer usable medium of claim 25 wherein: said means for creating further comprises means for creating collections of said location data regarding more than one user; ~~organizing by user,~~ and said means for ranking further comprises means for ranking items in said collections regarding more than one user, according to <u>an</u> expected ~~utility~~ <u>most accurate location source of each of said plurality of associated location sources for each of said users</u>.

29-36 (cancelled).